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Soil/Feed Modifiers  
GROUP ART UNIT: 3725  
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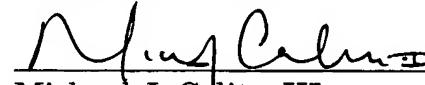
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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a three month extension of time in which to respond to or take further action with respect to the Office Action mailed March 23, 2004.

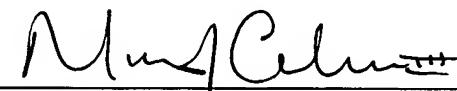
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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1201 86	2201 43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 290	2203 145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 86	2204 43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 18	2205 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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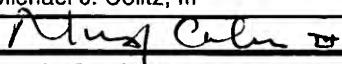
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